





## THE SEA COAST ECHO.

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### BROADCASTINGS.

The chap who believes two can live as cheaply as one changes his argument when he sees a married man's bills coming in.

The trouble with too many of our people is they think the best place to make money is some other place.

Our idea of a rattling good time would be to get a dog and name him "Taxes" and then tie a tin can to his tail.

Maybe you didn't know it, but a girl likes to be caught getting kissed just as much as she pretends not to.

The forehanded man who intends to turn over a new leaf on January 1 also lays in a supply of blotters.

China's boy emperor recently married a girl whose face he had never seen. If our American girls don't quit using powder and paint American boys will be doing the same thing.

The sensible man always picks out something for his wife for Christmas that she can't throw.

Mexico's president denies he was killed in the recent riots down there. But you can't always believe everything you hear from Mexico.

Here are two short, but sensible New Year resolutions—Resolve to subscribe to your home town paper and resolve to tell your borrowing neighbor to do the same thing.

Our idea of an experienced wife is the woman who can make over a last year's coat and make such a mess of it that her husband has to buy her a new one.

Jack Dempsey says he can lick any man in the world on short notice. We sometimes feel the same way, Jack.

Mrs. Santa Claus must lead an awfully disagreeable life, with her husband at home all year waiting for Christmas Eve.

For a few weeks to come more than one man will be wondering how many miles he is going to get out of his Christmas socks.

From reading the daily papers one would conclude that the grim reaper has traded his scythe for an automobile.

It isn't so hard to love your neighbor, as the Bible tells you to. Unless he refuses to laugh at your jokes.

Before marriage, every girl should test her sweetheart's disposition by making him carry a mattress upstairs.

We often wonder how England got by without America's help before America was discovered.

There appears to be two sides to the spillway proposition from that point of view which affects the Mississippi Coast oyster industry. Like every question, it has its pros and cons. Now, despite the avalanche of protests against the spillway on the muddy waters from the Mississippi will ruin the oyster growth, comes the theory the fresh water and silt are necessary admixtures for the health and propagation of the bivalve, according to Major Kerr, president State Board of Engineers at New Orleans. We will not doubt such an eminent mind, but the majority of the people in Bay St. Louis and elsewhere along the Coast will unite in our humble opinion that we rather not take the risk.

### "AIN'T NATURE GRAND?"

A Michigan man recently paid the sum of \$50,000 for a strawberry plant which he bought from an Iowa grower. There's a saying about nature being grand, but that isn't what made this one strawberry plant worth \$50,000 to the Michigan man, who declares he got a rare bargain, though most Bay St. Louis citizens may promptly declare he was "stung." Nature never produced a fruit or a vegetable worth that much money until the brain of man got to working and made possible its improvement and development. Few of the fruits or vegetables we eat today were fit to eat until the brain of man worked on them, and cultivated them. It is so with all the things which nature has provided to sustain life. Man has, through his persistent work in breeding, larger and better varieties, brought about varieties such as the \$50,000 strawberry plant. Nature is wonderful—but no more so than the brain of man.

## THE SEASON OF CHRISTMAS.

Again the Spirit of Christmas is in the air. There is a softening of hearts one toward another; there is a new flash of happiness in the eyes; a new firmness is felt in the grip of our daily handshakes; something again seems to whisper to us that we are in the midst of a season so sacred that it is not to be compared with any other time of year.

From that time almost two thousand years ago when the One whose birth we are soon to celebrate stood upon the Mount and gave to humanity a new rule—a Golden Rule—the approach of Christmas finds the whole world with a song upon its lips. Men may war against men; disease may sweep vast sections and the grim reaper may swing his scythe with an unfailing hand, yet the approach of Christmas brings back joy to the hearts of the stricken, bolsters them up for whatever fate may have in store, and makes them, for the season, as light and happy-hearted as the children who romp about our feet.

There is a something about the Christmas season it has not been given to understand. Changed conditions, a greater desire to live and to be of service to those about us; a hope and a prayer for greater blessings of health and prosperity for all humanity—these fall upon us in a shower along about this time each year, and yet we pass through it still unable to fathom its mystery. We know, somehow, some way, that it is the spirit of the Master coming into our hearts—we seem to feel that His smile is being shed upon us, and that we are receiving a benediction of happiness which fills our hearts to the fullest.

With the arrival of the Yuletide season once again we want to take this method of thinking in our own feeble way all those to whom this greeting may come for the cheer and helpfulness they have passed on to us during the year soon closing. We want to hope that this has been a prosperous and a happy year for them—we want to extend to them our prayer that the year to come may be equally so. We are passing this way but once. If we have said or done that which would in a measure return the kindnesses shown us, we are glad. If we can say or do in the future the things that will lighten the heart of those about us, we shall be happy.

May Providence continue to shield and bless you and yours. May your Christmas be a happy, a merry, a contented one. And may you be spared to celebrate many more of them.

### THE NEWEST FAD.

We note in the daily papers that the newest fad Americans have been urged to adopt is the theory of "auto suggestion." It was introduced in this country by a Frenchman, named Cote, and it appears to be taking a firm grip upon residents of the United States. Since newspapers are giving much space to it, and some pretty sensible people are endorsing it, we believe it worth while to let Bay St. Louis in on it while it's new.

Cote says auto-suggestion helps people get well. He has taken the gist of religion and philosophy, and application to healing disease. Perhaps the most important point he makes is that it is not the will but the imagination that has most to do with self-healing. The sum of the whole matter is that he does not ask a patient to have faith, nor to believe something that is not true, nor to use his will, nor to expect the doctor to cure him. He asks the patient to use his imagination. He says that each night when you have gone to bed, to close your eyes and then repeat 23 times, with your lips moving, these words: "Day by day, in every way, I am getting better and better." Before getting out of bed each morning, close your eyes and again repeat these words 23 times. It is essential that you move the lips, just as though you were speaking out loud.

Cote says these words will bring the imagination into play, and that good results will soon be noticeable. He has written a book on the subject, and it is selling like wildfire. There are other "cures," but we give this as one of the simplest. And you are invited to try it out to your heart's content—just the same as thousands of other Americans are now doing in various parts of the land.

### WATCH YOUR MAIL.

We learn from a government report reaching this office that more mail is reaching the dead letter office at Washington now than at any previous time in the history of the post office department. Maybe it is because more mail is dispatched today than ever before, but we believe if you'd ask the postmaster of Bay St. Louis, or any other postoffice, for the cause, he would tell you that people are more careless now than they used to be. They are in more of a hurry, address their letters more rapidly, and naturally are more apt to get the addresses wrong. Rushing to the postoffice and dropping them in the letter box without taking a second to see if a stamp has been affixed, is also another form of sending mail astray.

There are still some people who try to get along without return cards printed on their envelopes. And letters misaddressed or posted without stamps go direct to the dead letter office unless there is a return card on the envelope.

The report also says that over 1,400,000 letters are mailed every hour in the 24 hours of each day in the year. And more than sixty million pieces of parcels post mail were handled by Uncle Sam during the past year. In all, the people of the United States used last year more than nineteen billion postage stamps. So, after all, people who do so much corresponding can hardly be censured if, in their rush and bustle, they occasionally forget to read the address on the envelope carefully before dropping it in a mail box.

Let us have the honor of suggesting the name for the first big tourist hotel the L. & N. R. wishes built along the Mississippi Gulf Coast—and promises to keep filled: "Hotel Mapother." It would indeed be both a graceful and fitting compliment to this good friend of our section.

Summer bathing is the Mississippi Coast's chief asset. The river spillway system would ruin this in measure inestimable and to an extent undeniable.

### PRETTY TEACHERS.

Where is the Bay St. Louis man or woman who cannot remember the time when school teachers of the fair sex were seldom considered good-looking, and who were always looked upon as old maidish and boogish? It used to be the case in a vast majority of cases that this held good. But it's different now. For now the modern school teacher has developed into a young person whose charms considerably agitate the male heart. Proof of this is found in the rapid change that takes place in school teaching forces. Constantly the superintendents are having to find new ones, since these girls disappear so fast into the state of matrimony. These girls do not commonly marry the fashion plates of the smart set, but substantial men. Many school teachers may say this is an overdrawn picture, as they lead quiet, hard-working lives in places where they are not known and have few friends. There are many of this type also. But whatever their temperament they are doing some of the finest work of the community in which they live, and they are entitled to every honor and social recognition that can be bestowed upon them.

### THE LATEST EXAMPLE.

The latest example of the value of advertising is found in the fact that the State of California has started to spend the sum of \$5,000,000 to tell the readers of magazines and city newspapers of this country why it is a good State in which to live. It is the first time in the history of the world that a State has advertised for prospective citizens an opportunity to better their condition. The ads are written cleverly, carefully and interestingly. And the advertising campaign was figured out and viewed from many angles long before the "copy" was reduced to actual printing ink. We know what the result will be, and it ought to be plain to even these Bay St. Louis citizens who haven't learned the power of advertising. The result will be money well expended, and the emigration of thousands of more good, substantial citizens to the State that is enterprising enough to use printers' ink to set its advantages before the world.

### NO PAPER NEXT WEEK.

Observing the time-honored custom with the rural press, there will be no issue of The Sea Coast Echo next week, Saturday, Dec. 30th. Patrons and others will govern themselves accordingly.

The object is to give the force a relaxation from their constant and arduous duties; work that is so exacting week after week. Besides the force has been both faithful and loyal and they, too, must enjoy Christmas.

Wishing our readers, one and all, A Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year.

### PAT'S PRACTICAL WAY.

One day while Pat and Mike were busy digging in a ditch, Mike got to speculating what he'd do if he was rich.

"If I was rich," he said to Pat, "I'd buy a house and a car."

And stylish clothes, then drive about to pass the time away."

Said Pat to Mike, "If I was rich, I know what I would do."

"I'd not be spending money foolish like, the same as you."

"I'd have a longer handle put in this here blasted pick."

Though Pat's remark may bring a smile to him we left our hat—two many men are made like Mike, too few are built like Pat.

### FOOD FOR THOUGHT.

Some people should forget the habit of sending out of town for every little article they need. You may die on our hands some day and it would be mighty unhandy to send away for a grave digger and a funeral procession.—Brookline News.

And the mail-order catalogue would not have a line about the deceased.—Hinds County Gazette.

## MAPOTHER'S PLANS FOR COAST AND ORLEANS.

L. & N. President Sees Great Terminal; Coast to Rival Cal. Florida.

BY MEIGS O. FROST.

Lake Arthur, La., Dec. 16.—New Orleans, and the Mississippi Gulf Coast are to be the focus for the spotlight of development plans of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad during the next few years.

That's the message of W. L. Mapother, president of the L. & N., who, in having the time of his life hunting ducks and snipe at the Lake Arthur Club, on the shooting vacation he always takes when the hunting season gets under way.

Standing in weather-beaten hunting clothes, in the smoking room of the club's palatial houseboat hunting lodge anchored at the southern end of Mallard Bay, President Mapother today gave this outline of his plans for this section, and his pledge to do all in his power for its development:

The L. & N. terminals in New Orleans are to be expanded manyfold, and made modern to the limit of railroad engineering efficiency.

The L. & N. line along the Mississippi Gulf Coast is to be made storm-proof and is to be developed along the present right of way. There is no thought of running the line inland between the Rigolets and the Mississippi eastern borderline.

The construction work on the Rigolets storm-proof causeway is to start at the earliest possible moment, is to be followed immediately on its completion by the construction of a similar storm-proof causeway across Chef Menteur, and the whole project, at a cost in excess of \$3,000,000, is scheduled to be completed within two years.

The L. & N., while prohibited by law from building resort hotels, is negotiating today with officials of a corporation whose resources exceed \$40,000,000, to have this corporation build a big and modern resort hotel on the Mississippi Gulf Coast.

The L. & N. will use every resource of national advertising and swift and luxurious passenger service to bring tourists to the Mississippi Gulf Coast, if the people of this section will only cooperate by supplying a large and modern resort hotel facilities here.

The L. & N. realizes that the New Orleans and Mississippi Gulf Coast section are indissolubly linked with its destiny and will do all in its power to develop it in a friendly co-operation and efficient service to develop this section.

"The L. & N. terminals in New Orleans are insufficient for the developing business, and, with the exception of one modern freight shed, are to a large degree obsolete in equipment," said President Mapother. "They must be enlarged many fold, and soon. We are negotiating with the Dock Board officials now toward that end. While I cannot now go into details of our plans, I can say that the New Orleans terminal facilities must and will be greatly improved and increased."

### Must Have Aid.

"On the Mississippi Gulf Coast I am frank to say that we must have the co-operation of the people of that section, and of the people of the territory up to the heights which await it. There is America's most splendid winter resort—that section from Pascagoula on the east through Ocean Springs, Biloxi, Gulfport, Pass Christian and Bay St. Louis."

"We are ready to do our utmost to develop that section. But I am frank to say that under present conditions there are only two classes of tourists the road can bring to the Mississippi Gulf Coast without wasting them. Those two classes are the people who come to leased cottages, and the people who are content with inferior hotels and boarding houses."

"What the Mississippi Gulf Coast has got to have is an array of modern resort hotels. The L. & N. can't build them. We are barred by law from such investments of railroad money. All we can do is to encourage such enterprises, and to give a swift and luxurious passenger service for tourists when the hotels are built. But when you bring tourists to that section—tourists of the type who have brought uncounted wealth to the Florida and California coasts—tourists who want modern and commodious hotels and good golf courses, and who are willing to pay for their own or lease cottages or are content with boarding houses. Don't let's deceive ourselves or feel hurt pride about it. The Mississippi Gulf Coast can be America's finest winter resort. But it must have large and modern hotels and splendid golf and the other attractions that wealthy winter tourists want."

"For the L. & N. to make a special campaign of national advertising and exceptional train service to bring tourists there under conditions today would be a joke."

"But if the people of this section will wake up and provide such facilities, I pledge you that the L. & N., with national advertising, with train service, will do all in its power to make the Mississippi Gulf Coast what it should be—America's finest winter resort."

"We are going to make our line from New Orleans along the Mississippi Coast as storm-proof as engineering science can make it. Though we had a survey made with the thought of bringing the line inland east of the Rigolets, there were too many legal complications, and the plan was shelved."

"We stick to our present right-of-way. The bridges at the Rigolets and the Chef Menteur are to be made storm-proof to the limit of engineering skill and science. The work is scheduled to be completed within two years, at a cost of more than \$3,000,000. It will be a splendid line, carrying a splendid service, and co-operating to the fullest degree with the people and the interests of this section."

"For a long time the Louisville and Nashville Railroad has been a sort of kicking-post in this section. It has been treated like a step-child, and viewed as a heartless, soulless, and public be damned corporation."

### His Policy Explained.

"I can't speak for the past. That's over. But for the present and the future, the L. & N. has a clear-cut policy of friendly relations, cordial co-operation and swift and efficient service for the people of New Orleans and the Mississippi Gulf Coast. We'll do our best for them. We ask only that they co-operate with us."

President Mapother came to Louisville last Saturday from Louisville in

his private car attached to train No. 100, the "Nashville." With him on the trip are Whiteford Cole, of Nashville, president of the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis Railway, a subsidiary of the L. & N.; A. H. Smith, of Louisville, vice president of the L. & N., in charge of traffic, and W. A. Russell, of Louisville, passenger traffic manager of the L. & N. The party were the guests of Colonel William C. Dufour, of New Orleans. Through the courtesy of Sam Zemurray they were given Mr. Zemurray's yacht, the El Masada. They made the trip down the Mississippi for some shooting at the mouth of the river, came back by boat to Buras, went in the private car to Morgan City, where they were met by the El Masada, and cruised outside the coast and up into Vermillion Bay. There they were taken over by A. B. Blakemore, of New Orleans, president of the Lake Arthur Club, who met them in the club, cruiser Mermaid. They stayed as guests at the Lake Arthur Club on its palatial houseboat hunting lodge on Mallard Bay for a week-end of duck and snipe shooting, in a party that included Roy Terrell, of New Orleans, vice president of the Gulf Coast Lines, and R. Hamilton Hogsett, of New Orleans.

Saturday night, after a brief stop at the Lake Arthur Club's clubhouse at Lake Arthur, the party boarded President Mapother's private car and headed east. At Avondale they transferred and Sunday morning start for Louisville.

### TWAS EVER THUS.

The hunter who says he is going to bring some nice birds is a twin brother of the fisherman who promises you a nice mess of fish when he returns from his fishing trip.—East Mississippi Times.

But that hunter doesn't live in Bay St. Louis.

### ORDINANCE NO. 90.

AN ORDINANCE MAKING IT COMPULSORY TO NUMBER ALL HOUSES, BUILDINGS OR PLACES IN THIS CITY OF BAY ST. LOUIS IN NUMERICAL ORDER.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Bay St. Louis that all owners of houses, buildings or places shall number their houses, buildings or places in numerical order as hereinafter provided.

Section 2. Numbers shall be placed on houses, buildings or places located on streets, avenues or alleys in the following manner:

Dunbar avenue: Begin at Front street with No. 100, and running or numbering in a westerly direction, with all odd numbers on the left side and all even numbers on the right side.

Burns avenue: Begin at Front street, Leonard avenue, Boardman avenue, Leopold avenue, Felicity street, McDonald street, Uman avenue, Carroll street, Main street, Union street, Booker street, Good children street, Washington street, Citizen street, Valentine street, St. Charles avenue: Begin on all of said streets at Front street, with No. 100, and running or numbering in a westerly direction, with all odd numbers on the left side and all even numbers on the right side, in numerical order.

Second street: Begin at Front street with No. 100, and running or numbering in a westerly direction, with all odd numbers on the left side of the street and all even numbers on the right side, in numerical order.

St. George street: Begin at Front street and City Park avenue: Begin at Second street with No. 100, and running or numbering in a westerly direction, with all odd numbers on the left side of the street and all even numbers on the right side, in numerical order.

St. John street: Begin at Touline street, with No. 100, and running or numbering in a westerly direction, with all odd numbers on the left side of the street and all even numbers on the right side, in numerical order.

Hancock street: Begin at Esterobrook street with No. 100, and running or numbering in a westerly direction, with all odd numbers on the left side of the street and all even numbers on the right side, in numerical order.

Keller street: Begin at the extreme easterly end with No. 100, and running or numbering in a westerly direction, with all odd numbers on the left side and all even numbers on the right side, in numerical order.

Jannette alley: Begin at Hancock street with No. 100, and running or numbering in a westerly direction, with all odd numbers on the left side and all even numbers on the right side, in numerical order.

North Front street: Begin at Main street with No. 100, and running or numbering in a westerly direction, with all odd numbers on the left side and all even numbers on the right side, in numerical order.

South Front street: Begin at Main street with No. 100, and running or numbering in a westerly direction, with all odd numbers on the left side and all even numbers on the right side, in numerical order.

Broad avenue: Begin at Front street (assuming that the Railroad right of way at street) with No. 100, and running or numbering in a westerly direction, with all odd numbers on the left side and all even numbers on the right side, in numerical order.

Nicolas avenue and St. Francis street: Begin at Main street with No. 500, and running or numbering in a westerly direction, with all odd numbers on the left side and all even numbers on the right side, in numerical order.

Webb street: Begin at Railroad avenue with No. 100, and running or numbering in a westerly direction, with all odd numbers on the left side and all even numbers on the right side, in numerical order.

Section 3. All numbers shall be placed where they can be easily seen and read from the street and shall not be less than three inches long and two inches wide.

Section 4. Where there are double houses, buildings or places, each separate place shall have a number, and where there is a vacant lot each fifty feet or fraction thereof shall be taken as a separate place and considered as numbered when numbered.

Section 5. In the event of the failure of the owners of houses, buildings or places to properly number the same within thirty days after the passage of this ordinance, the city shall give the owner thereof fifteen days' notice in writing by hand or mail, directing the owner to do so, and if they fail to do so, then the city shall place numbers on the same, and the cost thereof charged against the property and collected at the same time and in the same manner as city taxes are collected.

Section 6. That all owners who are in doubt as to the number of their houses, buildings or places, shall apply to the clerk of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, with the name of the place, and shall be paid as to the cost and the number, and all other matters by the party aggrieved as provided by law for appeals from the orders of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen in other cases.

Section 7. That this ordinance take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved in open Board this 2nd day of December, 1922.

### NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

Seals are hereby given that the undersigned Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, will on

MONDAY, JANUARY 1, 1923, at 11 o'clock A. M., offer for sale to the lowest bidder at public outcry, the contract for the upkeep of roads, bridges and culverts in East No. 3, Hancock County, Mississippi.

Bids to comply with plans and specifications on file in the Clerk's office.

Bidder to deposit \$250.00 certified check for faithful performance of contract.

Successful bidder to furnish bond in double the amount of his bid, on the day the bid is accepted.

This the 5th day of December, A. D. 1922. (Seal.)

A. A. KIRKGOSSON, Clerk.

**Ford**  
**SEDAN**  
**New Price**  
**\$595**

**F. O. B. DETROIT**

At the new low price the Ford Sedan represents a greater value than has ever been offered. It provides enclosed car comfort in a dependable, quality product at a minimum cost. Your order placed now will insure reasonably prompt delivery. Terms if desired.

**EDWARDS BROTHERS'**  
Authorized Ford Dealers,  
BAY SAINT LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI.

**A. & G. THEATRE PROGRAM.**

**Attractions Coming for Next Week.**

**MONDAY, DEC. 25:**  
Thomas Meighan in "Cappy Ricks" and Fox News.

**TUESDAY, DEC. 26:**  
"I Am the Law," special feature with an all-star cast, also Movie Chats.

**WEDNESDAY, DEC. 27:**  
Pearl White in "Without Fear," comedy and Fox News.

**THURSDAY, DEC. 28:**  
Charles Ray in "R. S. V. P." and Prizma.

**FRIDAY, DEC. 29:**  
Gareth Hughes in "Little Eva Ascends" and tenth episode of "Capt. Kidd."

**SATURDAY, DEC. 30:**  
Dorothy Dalton in "The Crimson Challenge" and Charlie Chaplin in "Sunnyside."

**COMING—"Foolish Wives."**

**A million men have turned to One Eleven Cigarettes—a firm verdict for superior quality.**

**"11" cigarettes**

**15 for 10.**

*The American Tobacco Co.*



# COLUMN DE BULL

Crisp and Timely Comment on Current Topics of Local Interest.

BY FULLER BULL, of Bay St. Louis, Greeting.

Act. one fool stray horse, all dolled up in one Tenn. wagon, what imagined he was listed in the Google Handicap an' racin' the famous "Spark-Plug" an' makin' a speedway outa Carroll Ave. an' endin' up by bustin' Yrs. Truly in a vacant ditch alongside the foreshad Tenn. wagon, an' causin' 'bout forty-leven of the late generation to thinkin' a new Circus had come to our burg.

All of the which an' wherefore was plumb reason why we didn't ans. the roll call to The Echo, an' why we, to the also, have been missin' from the Dovesy an' the Duckery on the Lee-way, an' for which our sad gizzard weareth the cloth of black.

Bein' like the proverbial Squirrel, we make our lil bow once more.

## S. S. C. Red Devils.

Things are beginning to move down at the House o' Brains, an' the Basket Ball season got a runnin' start...when we say a "runnin' start," we mean such a one what they can't head off.

Why? Well, bo, that's the EASIEST to answer what we ever tried, so kindly lend us your candor to the viz: The Varsity team (surnamed RED DEVILS) are the CLASSIEST bunch what the House o' Brains EVER put together at one time; looks more like a Real buncha STARS than anything we ever lamp-

Prof. Jaubert, the comet of the constellation, is the Mars of the Five, a real Go-getter, a lad who sees Red ALL the time. "Big Zeke" Bonura, who is gettin' to be a master of the open crabbet—why, bo, when Big Zeke gets near that basket you can see it shake like it had the Buck-Agus.

There's the guy what's got the monicker of Pettijean—they ain't got nothin' petti 'bout that lil jean, we're here to tell you, 'bo; he's a natural born cager an' plays like the devil was chasin' him 'round.

Smiler Sylvester will please step up, souse the folks can lamp him. Here we have one of the slipperiest eels of the biz, that lad can go the distance an' only take half the steps, an' we predict that before the season gets well started this star will be shinin' souse you can read by it.

If you happen to see a lil comet slippin' round like greased lightnin' an' ain't 'quainted with it, we'd like to introduce Monsieu Abadie, the fifth point of the big star. Good, abien cher ami, I'm goin' tell you, yas.

The Scrapy Monsieu MUST scrap because there's a star what's been risin' some time an' the wise guys of the crabbet with a hole in it will be askin' some questions SOON...cause why? Well, cause it's Fan Martin. If Old Man Tufluck will just forget Fan a lil while all you guys'll see some star: good ANYWHERE he's stuck an' he gives all he's got, 16 ozs. to the lb.

If there was ONLY some dern LINE TO BUCK you'd see our own Tony Schirr in action. Gee, you savvy what that means, don't you?

And Fatty Welsh, too, would give a finger to get in a tackle some guy, an' while the play's on just take a peep over at the sub-line an' see the shinin' lamps of him an' fightin' Gosen ready to take the place of a crip.

Now then, take all the stuff we've cut up an' throw it in the pot an' you'll have cooked up somethin' what's a world beater—a concoction what'll make Foster Commager measure 44 in the chest before many moons. The BEST team old St. Stan's had since Towser was a pup. Last week they gave Lyman H. a lesson in Basket Ball—we won't tell the score, 'cause we like the Professor.

Wed. of the P. M. Old Baylor come slidin' in with green blankets an' their old yeller Bear...an' they SLID OUT, too, with them same green blankets, but the Bear had shrivelled up till he looked the perfect miniature of a MOLE.

Gee! Prunella, that was SOME GAME, what?

Them RED DEVILS got to workin' RIGHT NOW, lightnin' was a ally, an' with "EYE SPEED" why Eagle EYE Jones was achin' to pinch 'em all acct. the speed limit, an' pass-work, why, dear, a congressman couldn't do PASS work on a par with 'em—now you KNOW!

The first half ended 15 to 8—favor us. Then Baylor stars (an' we wanta kindly REMARK them birds ARE such things) come in in the 2nd. half determined to DO or DIE an' run up a score of 17 to our 14, but that lil whistle booted them an' the funeral took place with the RED DEVILS dancin' the DRIBBLE BLUES on the coffin lid.

The big crowd got their money's worth of excitement an' clean sport. It reminded us of that finish of 1920 when in the last min. of play, with the score of 20 to 20, our Devils caged the Killer.

Keep your lamps on the Red Devils of this season, put your mazzinas up an' you'll get more returns than the Real Estate man could promise you.

## Fire Hero.

The other night when the whole world seemed ready to tuck in an call it a day, when all the lil birds were hid away from the big owls, an' the Thos. Cat was on the prowl, there rose the awful, soul-stirrin', agonizin' cry of FIRE! One man alone seemed to hear that horrible wail of distress; he did not wait for further pleadings—the cry came from the lips of a WOMAN, and she in distress. That was enough to satisfy our hero and plunge him into action.

With one great leap he vaulted the barrier (an' ever missed a picket). "Be brave, lady, I'm comin' to the rescue! Fear not!" Stride after stride our hero sped onward, the tickin' flames were about to attack the walls of the edifice, with frantic gestures the terror-stricken lady pointed

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to the on-coming hungry red darts. In the nick of time our hero got there, by his mighty efforts an' his keen sense of humor the Giant Destroyer was CONQUERED.

The lady was loud in her praise... "Ah, Madam, say not so," our brave one spoke, "I did but my duty as I saw it, an' I beg thee swallow thy praise."

Boy, pagé MR. Jos. O. Mauffray, we wanta find out the damages, an' details.

To Our Readers.

Well, good folks, which means you readers of BULL, we wanta say somethin' before the linotype man calls our hand, or the Ed. locks the type-writer, all of which is to the viz:

We wanta wish each an' every one of you a MERRY CHRISTMAS an' a

May you be as merry as the Law your lives. Or, or somebody else's.

allow me to wish you the time of a VERY HAPPY NEW YEAR.

May 1923 skidoo all your worries, an' bring to you a full belt, an' EASY sleep, an' a BROAD SMILE OF CONTENTMENT.

All of which is the benediction of your old friend,

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*Dr. J. C. Watson*

In the Matter of the Validation of

\$50,000.00 of Water Works Bonds for the City of Bay St. Louis, Miss.

To the Taxpayers of the City of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi:

NOTICE.

You are hereby notified that the

matter of the validation of \$50,000.00 of Water Works Bonds for the City of Bay St. Louis, Miss.

will come on for hearing before the Chancellor at Bay St. Louis, Miss., at the County Court House, on the 28th day of December, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., on or before which time objections, if any, must be filed.

A. A. KERGOSIEN,

Chancery Clerk.

# COME IN NOW AND JOIN OUR NEW

# CHRISTMAS CLUB

## AND HAVE MONEY NEXT CHRISTMAS

### MONEY EARNERS.

Sure, you are going to need money next Christmas—but will you have it?

You will when you come in and JOIN OUR CHRISTMAS CLUB, which gives you a SYSTEM-ATIC PLAN for depositing money regularly.

FROM THEIR EARNINGS, men and women are in a position to deposit \$1, \$2, \$3, \$5, \$10, \$20, or more, each week without inconvenience to themselves.

To HAVE MONEY for NEXT CHRISTMAS, or any other purpose, join our Christmas Club. JOIN TODAY.

### BUSINESS MEN

Business men are urged to encourage their employees to join our Christmas Club and to explain to them that it is a weekly method for banking money. Thrifty employees are the most valuable to their business.

JOIN OUR CHRISTMAS CLUB TODAY.



You can start with 1c, 2c, 5c, 10c and increase your deposit the same amount each week, or you can start with 25c, 50c, \$1.00, \$2.00, \$5.00, \$10.00, \$20.00, or more and put in the same amount each week.

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1 cent CLUB PAYS	\$12.75
2 Cent CLUB PAYS	\$25.50
5 Cent CLUB PAYS	\$63.75
10 cent CLUB PAYS	\$127.50

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A VERY POPULAR PLAN

25c CLUB PAYS	\$12.50
50c CLUB PAYS	\$25
\$1.00 CLUB PAYS	\$50
\$2.00 CLUB PAYS	\$100
\$5.00 CLUB PAYS	\$250.00
\$10.00 CLUB PAYS	\$500
\$20.00 CLUB PAYS	\$1,000

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# Merchants Bank & Trust Company

## Bay Saint Louis, Mississippi.

### ALL MISSISSIPPI IS INTERESTED

Former Governor Must Give Bond in Sum of \$5,000 for His Appearance at April Term.

Jackson, Miss., Dec. 18.—Judge E. R. Holmes, of the Federal District Court for the Northern District of Mississippi, having ordered the arrest of former Governor T. G. Bilbo on charges of contempt of court, all Mississippi is asking the question "What will he do?"

When the suit of Miss Frances Birkhead was first filed against Governor Lee M. Russell, seeking to recover damages in the sum of \$100,000, Mr. Bilbo in a statement to the press declared that if he was summoned as a witness, and he fully expected to be, he would tell the whole truth about the matter.

Then, he was simply a private citizen who had retired from the office of governor, and had been deep-rooted

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as a candidate for the United States Senate against former Senator J. K. Vardaman. Bilbo declared that he would only become a candidate if allowed to "go it alone" against Vardaman.

Vardaman, Bilbo and Russell had been the leading lights of the prevailing wing of the Democratic party in this State.

Been Intimate Friends.

Bilbo and Russell had been intimate friends, Russell having been lieutenant governor while Bilbo was governor, and succeeded to the governorship at the expiration of Bilbo's term, but they had broken and the time of Bilbo's newspaper declaration, he stated: "We do not speak as we pass by; nor do they yet."

Why, then, did he dodge an attachment after having been served with a summons to appear in Oxford and testify in the case, is what is proving a topic of general discussion in the State of Mississippi, and especially at the capital, where both men have occupied the governor's mansion.

Some attribute it to the fact that he is again a candidate for governor, and knowing he has nothing to hope for from the anti-Russell faction, did not care to risk antagonizing friends of Russell by testifying against him, preferring to take a chance on a jail sentence for contempt of court, for which he has now been cited.

Others believe it was because of his fear of political patronage. During Bilbo's term as governor he appointed Captain J. M. Williamson, warden of the Mississippi State convict farm, a position of much importance, and is very desirous that he retain the place. Williamson's term has about run out, and Russell has the appointment of

his successor. It is said that Russell served notice on Bilbo that if he showed up at Oxford and testified in the suit against him, Williamson was a goner and someone else would be named to the wardenship. However, no one has assumed responsibility for such a statement; it merely having been advanced by newspapers not especially fond either of the governor or ex-governor.

Then again it may be, others say, as Bilbo was too busy planting fruit trees on his farm to bother with a little thing like a citation to appear as a witness in a United States court, even if a governor was involved as one of the parties.

On the corner of the summons with which the ex-governor was served were printed the words, "Minimum penalty for not obeying \$100," but it says nothing about what the limit may be—that is left with the judge of the court.

Bond Is Required.

Judge Holmes in his order of arrest instructed that Bilbo be required to give bond in the sum of \$5,000 for his appearance at the April term of court to offer his excuse.

Many surmises are being indulged in as to what sort of an excuse Governor Bilbo will offer, knowing that he is an adept at parrying charges, the prevailing impression being that he will rely on the federal statute which provides that a "witness living out of the district in which he is summoned to appear, more than 100 miles away, cannot be made to attend unless his transportation is furnished."

That would have been a good excuse two months ago, but while the former governor has been busy planting trees Congress has been equally busy passing new laws and amending old ones, and on September 19 section 876 of the revised statutes of the United States was so amended as to make witnesses attend from anywhere in the United States with "Permission of the court being first had upon proper application and cause shown."

Shoes for the whole family, high tops and low, in straps and Oxfords, just received, the guaranteed kind. The Bay Mercantile Co.

### CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

#### NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

I wish to announce through this medium that I will be away from my dental offices in the Hancock County Bank Bldg. from Wednesday, December 20th, to Wednesday, January 3, 1923. Patrons and the public in general will please take notice, and govern themselves accordingly.

DR. JAMES A. EVANS.

#### REMOVAL NOTICE.

E. E. Lucas has removed his real estate office to the Gex Building, on Main street. Office hours, 8 to 10 a. m. He takes this occasion to extend the new season's greetings to his friends and patrons, with assurances that 1923 will be devoted to Bay St. Louis' growth and development.

#### FOR SALE.

Ford truck, open body; 5-passenger car, just overhauled and painted; young mule, two horses, one wagon, harness, one tractor, one milk cow, ten springers, one cypress skiff, one 3-burner oil cook stove. For Rent—One 80-acre farm and one 10-acre farm. Address W. H. Wolbrecht, Bay St. Louis, Miss.

## RUN DOWN PEOPLE NEED RICH BLOOD

YOU never heard a doctor say, "He is all run down, but his blood is pure and rich."

The best thing—the biggest thing—that Gude's Pepto-Mangan does is to purify and enrich your blood. Then those weary, run down, dragged out feelings will disappear, and the oldtime vim and "pep" come back again. Get Gude's Pepto-Mangan today.

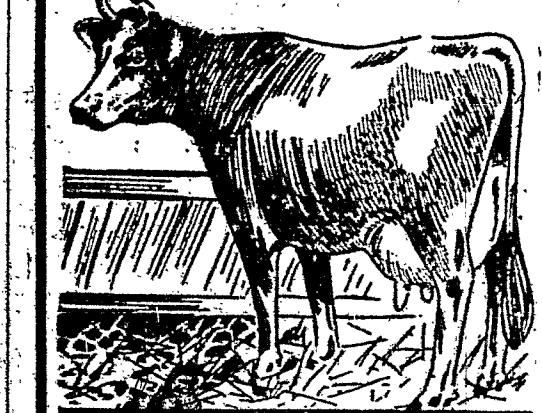
At your druggists—liquid or tablets, as you prefer.

**Gude's**  
**Pepto-Mangan**  
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### 'Phone Rate Raise February 1.

Mississippi's new telephone rates, granted recently through compromise by the State Railroad Commission, will not go into effect until probably February 1. A schedule of rates is now being drawn up, it was announced, which will be ready for the promulgation within a few days. Under the new schedule, the advance in charge will be made principally in the larger exchanges, while the smaller ones will receive a considerable reduction over the rates to be charged in the larger offices.

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Your cows deserve a feed that makes a full flow of milk. When pastures fail feed them Happy Cow Sweet Feed—24% protein. When fed with hay or ensilage you get the most milk.

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## Christmas Dinner

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SERVED FROM 12:30 TO 2 O'CLOCK.

### THE SEA COAST ECHO.

#### CITY ECHOES.

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

We sell on easy terms. Bay Jewelry Store.

"Foolish Wives" coming at the A. & G. Theatre first week in January. The greatest photo drama that the mind of man has ever conceived.

You are invited to see our Holiday Line. Bay Jewelry Store.

Manager Babcock is putting on an unusually fine menu for Christmas at the Bay Hotel serving dinner Monday from 12:30 to 2 o'clock.

Miss Beatrice Brown, class '23, St. Joseph's Academy, has gone to New Orleans, where she will spend the holidays with relatives.

Mrs. Sidney Pearce is here from Gulfport, visiting at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. M. V. Gex, and family, on the beach front, and will remain until after Christmas.

A complete line of Toilet Ivory Ware. Bay Jewelry Store.

Mrs. (Dr.) Segura and children came down from Jackson, Miss., to spend the holidays with parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Weston, at Logtown.

Mrs. A. Mallory and son, Charles, left Thursday morning for Baltimore, Md., where they will spend three weeks visiting Charles' grandparents and other relatives.

You can get the gifts that last a beautiful line of jewelry. Bay Jewelry Store.

Miss Mary Bourgeois, attractive and accomplished young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bourgeois, is home from Whitworth College, Brookhaven, Miss., for the holidays.

Mr. Byron Day, prominent and leading resident of Brookhaven, Miss., was a recent visitor to Bay St. Louis, guest at the home of his brother, A. B. Day, and family.

Beautiful line of Sterling Silverware and Cutlery. Bay Jewelry Store.

Coming to the A. & G. Theatre, "Foolish Wives," a picture of Monte Carlo, where even saints and sinners, Von Stroheim, author, director and leading man. A man you will love to hate! This is the biggest thing in pictures yet.

The Bay-Waveland Yacht Club sent out neat and attractive greeting cards to its members, and announcing the holiday ball to take place at the Clubhouse next Saturday evening. The affair promises to be largely attended and will celebrate the advent of the New Year.

Give her beautiful Kodak for Christmas. Bay Jewelry Store.

Mrs. H. P. Mattox left Friday night for Atlanta, Georgia, to spend the Christmas holidays with her daughters, Mrs. Clinton Reed, Mrs. John Harris, Mrs. Lorena Peacock, and granddaughter, Vesta, Loraine and Junius Peacock.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Rea left today for Los Angeles and San Francisco, Cal., to be gone for a few weeks. Mr. Rea is a member of the executive board of the Kappa Sigma college fraternity and gave a participation in a meeting of the body. He will spend Christmas at Long View, Texas, visiting relatives.

Mr. Emile J. Toca's services have been added to the local postoffice force to help handle the holiday mail. Postmaster Saucier says this year's business is the heaviest yet. Both the incoming and outgoing mails are the heaviest he has known in the many years of his experience in the Bay St. Louis postoffice. But, as heavy as it is, the mail is handled quickly and with prompt dispatch and everyone is well served.

Mr. Harry S. Saucier is going around on crutches, which his good friend Bro. Peter, of the College, so thoughtfully sent him in order to get out and attend the basketball games. It appears Mr. Saucier, who is an admirer of fine horse flesh, was driving behind the "dappled gray" beauty belonging to his father, when in some unaccountable manner the spirited horse ran away and he was thrown to the roadside. At first he felt no injury, but as the time wore on he felt much pain as a result of injury received to the knee cap. By the faithful application of Bull Liniment he will soon be able to again be on the run—and in the running.

BUY CHRISTMAS FOODSTUFFS FROM

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## XMAS FRUIT

Vegetables of all Kinds, Poultry, Eggs, Etc.

Full Supply of

CELERY, CRANBERRIES, OLIVES AND OTHER ESSENTIALS FOR THE HOLIDAY TABLE.

It Will Pay You To Trade Here.

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### EASTERN STAR ELECTS OFFICERS FOR NEXT YEAR.

Bay St. Louis Chapter No. 129 To Be Headed by Mrs. C. I. Joyner—E. S. Drake, Worthy Patron.

At a regular meeting of Bay Chapter No. 129, O. E. S., held December 14, 1922, the following officers were elected to serve for the coming year:

Mrs. C. I. Joyner, worthy matron; Mrs. E. S. Drake, worthy patron; Mrs. John Osoinach, associate matron; Mr. Simon Engman, treasurer;

Miss Olga von Drozkowsky, secretary; Mrs. C. C. McDonald, conductress; Mrs. Fred A. Wright, associate conductress;

Miss Mildred von Drozkowsky, marshal; Miss Miriam Engman, Adah; Miss Lillith Ansley, Ruth;

Mrs. E. J. Leonard, Esther; Mrs. Earl Rhorer, Martha; Miss Elsie Day, Electa;

Miss Levia Engman, organist; Mrs. W. L. Bourgeois, chaplain; Mrs. Rene de Mondulzin, warden; Mr. L. J. Norman, sentinel.

### CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to take this method of formally thanking the ladies, one and all, who so willingly and nobly assisted in making the Community Christmas Tree, at Central School, Thursday afternoon, the marked success that it was. Without their assistance it would have been impossible to accomplish the work and its success.

MRS. W. W. POWWOOD, Chairman.

### A CARD TO THE VOTERS OF HANCOCK COUNTY.

In order to correct an erroneous impression, and one that seems to have received much publicity, I wish to say that I have not withdrawn from the race for clerk of the courts of Hancock County.

The rumor is that I am aspiring to the postmastership of Bay St. Louis, and, expecting the appointment, I have withdrawn from the race for clerk.

The truth is I am not an applicant for the Bay St. Louis postoffice, but I am a candidate for the office of clerk, and when the proper time arrives I shall properly launch my campaign.

In advance I wish to voice my thanks and appreciation for any and all consideration.

Respectfully, M. L. ANSLEY.

Bay St. Louis, Miss., Dec. 20, 1922.

### BAY ST. LOUIS MERCHANTS HAVE FINE STOCK.

It is a noteworthy fact that Bay St. Louis merchants this year have carried larger and more varied stocks than ever. The assortment has not only been more varied but qualities have been better.

Trade has been active, and there will be no room for complaint. We hope the day is not far distant when the bulk of shopping will be done at home. Of course, as long as merchants and others will send printing away, they cannot expect the people to shop at home. The example shows the disposition is wrong, and there must be a cause. Until this cause is removed we cannot expect otherwise.

One merchant sent away for printed envelopes the other day!

### FOR SALE—STOCK OF GOODS.

On account of my removal from Bay St. Louis to New Orleans, I am selling out, regardless of cost, my entire stock of dry goods, hats, shoes, notions, groceries, etc., etc. This stock must go regardless of cost. I must close out by the 1st, and cut prices will do it. Nothing is spared. It will pay you to call around and buy for future needs. It means dollars saved.

My property, containing store and residence, will also be sold. Front measurement on Third street is 35 feet, by a depth of over 1000 feet. Place is in good condition. Will be sold cheap.

Address A. L. MERDIER, formerly Muller & Rupp's, Third between Ballintine and St. Charles Sts.

### COUNCIL RATIFIES CONTRACT.

At a special session of Board of Mayor and Aldermen, held this week, the contract for the balance of the Bay St. Louis sea wall was let and the council ratified the contract. The Delta Construction Company will push the work to early completion, thus will the entire Bay St. Louis sea wall be finished.

Mayor R. W. Webb cannot be given too much credit for this accomplishment. He has worked in and out of season for the sea wall and in the face of obstacles, and it can be said opposition as well. The sea wall will remain as an enduring monument to his progressiveness and constructive ability.

### COUNTY CAMPAIGN AFTER 1ST.

It is evident the county campaign will open in earnest after January 1st. Candidates for the different offices will make their announcements in the columns of THE SEA COAST ECHO, the County Paper.

The schedule of prices is as follows: County offices, \$10; beat offices, \$5.00; district offices, \$15.00; all in advance.

### MASONS TO INSTALL JANUARY 6.

Officers recently elected by the Bay St. Louis Masonic fraternity will be installed on Saturday, January 6, 1923, instead of the 13th, as has been published. In order to avoid confusion in dates, the correction is here published and for the information it carries.

### HEADQUARTERS

PLAYER ROLLS, SHEET MUSIC, PHONOGRAPH RECORDS, PICTURE FRAMES, KODAKS AND FILMS.

### THE BAY STUDIO

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### HOWITZER COMPANY STAYS IN SCRAP.

Local Military Company Has Interesting Series of Events at Armory Thursday—Dud Carver, Local Prize, Scores Again—Kila Defeats Algiers.

One of the best cards the local Howitzer Company 155 have ever gotten together took place Thursday night at their armory on Second street. Young (Dud) Carver, the local prize, who has been fighting very consistently and who shows improvement at every mill, met and decisively defeated Al. Britt, a promising youngster of New Orleans, in the early section of the second round of what was to be a six-round affair. The bell saved Britt in the first round by one bare second. He started some rushing tactics and flew at Carver like a little demon, only to be met by straight left jabs. Near the end of the round Britt rushed into one of Carver's straight rights and fell on his face. Referee McDonald began tolling off the seconds and had reached the count of nine when the bell rang. The excessive noise prevented Carver from hearing, and he, thinking his opponent was out, was leaving the ring. Britt was revived and the second round found Carver determined to duplicate. He did not tarry but went at his man like a demon with a smashing right that caught Britt in the mouth and he measured his length with the canvas.

When it is taken in account that Britt floored Peraci in New Orleans and came near defeating him one can readily see the stuff that Carver is made of and that in all fairness the promoters of New Orleans should give him a chance.

Dwight Peterson, of Kila, Miss., a 160-pounder of over 6 feet and a smiling, confident fighter, defeated young Price of Algiers in four rounds that were hard fought. Price proving a bear for punishment.

Grover Malini, of the Pass, knocked out Bub Buccelli, substituting for Tarbavou, in the third round.

A subscription bout between young Peterson and Ernest Cuevas, of Kila, ended in a draw.

Kid Tess, of Cedar Point, went into the ring with a yellow backbone and Kid Dabney made him quit before the echo of the gong had died away.

Leland Netto and Carl Tarbavou, mosquito weights, went three rounds, Netto getting the decision.

### MRS. SHIELDS'S APPEAL ANSWERED.

Assistance Given For Stranded Actress on Way to California to Enter Employment With Movies.

In answer to an appeal made by Mrs. Bernard Shields for enough money to assist a stranded actress and her son in reaching Los Angeles, where a home and a motion picture position awaits them, contributions have come from many parts of America.

Bernard C. Shields gave \$25, and from Thomas B. Findlay, of the "Kiki" Company in New York, came another \$25. Will Deming, in the "French Doll" company in New York, sent \$5, and Sidney Shields, of the "Hindu" company, sent \$10. A \$1 donation came signed by "Wisconsin."

Others who answered the appeal are: H. J. Schneider, \$5; E. Lacoste, \$5; Gerald Kennedy, \$12; E. J. Leonard, \$5; P. V. Lacoste, \$5; James Geary, \$5; L. H. Burns, \$5; Dr. J. A. Evans, \$2.50; Bernice S. S. J. \$10; Mrs. Geo. Logan, \$5; Mrs. Rita Breath, \$2; Miss Rita Breath, \$1; Chas. Breath, \$1; Mrs. Geo. Res, \$1; Mrs. Will Fordwood, \$1; John Osoinach, \$2; cash, \$1; cash, \$1; cash, \$1; cash, \$1; Mrs. M. F. Ford, \$1; Mrs. Otto Briede, \$1; cash, 50 cents; Frank Martin, \$1.

### SPECIAL MEETING OF BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN.

State of Mississippi, Hancock County, City of Bay St. Louis.

Pursuant to special call, a special meeting of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Bay St. Louis was held at the City Hall on the 15th day of December, 1922, at 2:30 o'clock P. M.

There were present Mayor R. W. Webb, Aldermen W. C. Sick, John Buehler, H. de S. Gillum, L. C. Carver, City Marshal Albert Jones, Secretary S. J. Ladner.

To Aldermen: CALL FOR SPECIAL MEETING OF BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN.

State of Mississippi, Hancock County, City of Bay St. Louis.

To Wm. C. Sick, John Buehler, H. de S. Gillum and L. C. Carver, Aldermen of the City of Bay St. Louis, Miss.

You are hereby notified that a special meeting of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Bay St. Louis is called to meet at the City Hall, in said city, on the 15th day of December (Friday), 1922, at 2:30 o'clock P. M.

The object of said meeting is as follows: To pay labor and to adopt, approve, amend or reject the plans, specifications and estimates filed by the Bond Commission for the proposed Sea Wall.

The City Marshal will execute and return the above notice instantly.

R. W. WEBB, Mayor.

Attest: S. J. LADNER, Clerk.

Received the above call at 9 o'clock on this 15th day of December, 1922.

ALBERT JONES, City Marshal.

We, the undersigned Aldermen of the City of Bay St. Louis, hereby acknowledge service of the above call upon us personally at least three hours before the time of meeting, and waive copy of the call.

WM. C. SICK, J. F. BUEHLER, H. de S. GILLUM, L. C. CARVER.

I have served notice on the above Aldermen at least three hours before the time of meeting.

ALBERT JONES, City Marshal.

Moved by Alderman Buehler, seconded by Alderman Sick, and carried, Alderman Carver voting no, to reject, to adopt, approve or amend, the proposed Sea Wall. Reason for not accepting, because the Board of Bond Commissioners claim that the Board of Mayor and Aldermen have no authority.

The following bills were allowed,

### CITY FUND.

Ed Kimmel, 1/2 mo. labor, \$50.00; J. E. Johnston, 1/2 mo. labor, \$25.50; Jos. Capdepon, 1/2 mo. labor, \$25.50; John Bosford, 1/2 mo. labor, \$25.50; Ed Preveair, labor 11 1/2 days, at \$2.50, 28.75;

A. Carver, labor, 12 days, at \$2.50, 30.00; Hy. Bourgeois, labor, 10 1/2 days, at \$2.50, 26.80;

J. Schultz, labor, 11 days, at \$2.50, 27.50;

R. Drew, labor, 11 1/2 days, at \$2.50, 29.35;

Jim Collier, labor, 12 days, at \$2.50, 30.00;

Emile Toca, labor, 1 day, at \$2.00, 2.00;

Standard Oil Co., refund license, by order of the Board, 1.25;

SCHOOL BUILDING FUND. Elmer F. Bourgeois, labor, repair school, \$78.90;

Elmer F. Bourgeois, labor, repair school, 25.00;

There being no further business appearing, the Board adjourned.

S. J. LADNER, Secretary.

### SPECIAL MEETING OF BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN.

State of Mississippi, Hancock County, City of Bay St. Louis.

Pursuant to special call, a special meeting of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Bay St. Louis was held at the City Hall on the 18th day of December, 1922, at 5:30 o'clock P. M.

There were present Mayor R. W. Webb, Aldermen John Buehler, H. de S. Gillum, L. C. Carver, Secretary S. J. Ladner.

To Wm. C. Sick, John Buehler, H. de S. Gillum and L. C. Carver, Aldermen of the City of Bay St. Louis, Miss.

You are hereby notified that a special meeting of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Bay St. Louis is called to meet at the City Hall, in said city, on the 18th day of December (Monday), 1922, at 5:30 o'clock P. M. The object of said meeting is as follows: To adopt, approve and amend plans, specifications and estimates of the proposed Sea Wall as filed by the Bond Commission.

R. W. WEBB, Mayor.

The City Marshal will execute and return the above notice instantly.

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I have served notice on the above Aldermen at least three hours before the time of meeting.

ALBERT JONES, City Marshal.

No action taken to adopt, approve and amend plans, specifications and estimates of the proposed sea wall as filed by the Bond Commission.

The following veto message of the Mayor was presented and read to the Board:

MAYOR'S VETO. Bay St. Louis, Miss., December 16th, 1922.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen, City.

Gentlemen: I enter this my veto and disapproval of the ordinance, rule or order attempted to be passed at the special meeting of the Board, held on yesterday, December 16th, 1922, which order, rule or order is as follows: "Rejecting, to adopt, approve, amend the plans, specifications and estimates filed by the Bond Commission for the proposed Sea Wall. Reason for not accepting because the Board of Bond Commissioners claim that the Board of Mayor and Aldermen have no authority."

My reasons therefor being as follows:

1. Because said order, rule or order is ambiguous, intentionally drawn and of no meaning.

2. It may be misconstrued and defeat the construction of the sea wall.

3. It may have the effect of annulling or invalidating the collection of the sea wall tax.

And for other reasons not necessary to be mentioned herein.

Respectfully submitted, R. W. WEBB, Mayor.

Filed Dec. 16, 1922, at 4:30 o'clock P. M.

S. J. LADNER, Secretary.

There being no further business appearing, the Board adjourned.

S. J. LADNER, Secretary.

### Children Cry for Fletcher's

# CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over thirty years, has borne the signature of Dr. H. Fletcher just to protect the coming generations. Do not be deceived. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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